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The Honorable M. Jodi Rell Governor State of Connecticut State Capitol Hartford, CT 06106

We respectfully request a meeting with you, the Secretary of the Office of Policy and Management, and the Commissioner of the Department of Public Works to discuss the Norwich Hospital property. We would like to include the First Selectman of Preston and the Co-Chairs of Preston's Norwich Hospital Advisory Committee in the meeting.

The Town of Preston and the State of Connecticut signed a Purchase and Sales Agreement for the potential transfer of this state surplus property to Preston. The agreement was intended to be a partnership between the parties in seeking an appropriate use of the property for the benefit of the town, region and state. In that spirit, we believe that it is long overdue for the town and the state to reopen a dialogue. Regardless of the outcome of the current agreement, a strong local-regional-state partnership will be necessary to develop the property.

Thank you and we look forward to joining you in bringing the parties together.

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